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How to Remedy the Electoral System. In view of the complications which have grown out of the system of electing a President and Vice President by means of an electoral college it is pretty generally agreed that the present method should be abolished, and that hereafter those officers shall be elected by a direct vote of the people. Senator Morton's plan for a Constitutional amendment, while it may not be the best that can be desired, is undoubtedly a vast improvement on the present awkward method. Briefly it provides that each state shall be divided into districts equal in number to the number of Representatives to which the state may be entitled in Congress, and that the person having the highest number of votes in each district for President shall receive the vote of that district, which shall count one Presidential vote; that the person having the highest number of votes for President in a state shall receive two presidential votes from the state at large; that the person having the highest number of presidential votes in the United States shall be President; and that the foregoing provisions shall apply to the election of the Vice President. One objection which might be raised to this plan is that it ignores majorities in the same way that the electoral college system does. A majority of 10,000 in a district would count no more than a majority of one, and this holds true of the electoral system as regards state majorities. While there may be some valid objections to a direct vote for Presidential candidates, a system based on this principle would doubtless be generally accepta-

The frightful calamity through the burning of the Brooklyn Theater (reported in our telegraphic columns), by which nearly a hundred persons were burned to death, shows that with all the attention given to the subject, the adequate means of exit from theaters in case of fire has not been secured, even in a city of the size and wealth of Brooklyn. In the case of our Washington theaters the modes of exit are unusually ample in consequence of the warning given by previous

If it be true as reported, that the New York bank note companies are to continue the printing of revenue stamps for the United States, although the government has in this city all the means and appliances for prompt. safe and satisfactory execution of the work, and at a less cost than the contract price, it is certainly time for some one to rise and explain. Even it it cost the government a little more to do the work, there are many good reasons why it should do its own printing of this character. If there are any equally good reasons why it should go outside to hunt up contractors and let the machinery lie idle in the Treasury printing bureau, the public would like to know them.

The President's message is commented upon favorably by the press, but some of the papers think it remarkable for what it does not contain i. e., any special reference to the exciting political issue on hand. It is understood, however, that the President will treat this matter at considerable length in a special message, some day this week.

On the day Congress met. special prayer meetings were held in New York and Philadelphia to invoke the divine blessing on the deliberations of the Congress of the United States. The prayers of the righteous ovail much, and it is therefore suggested that godly men and women throughout the land pray without ceasing that the divine guidance may be vouchsafed our public men in the present troubled condition of the country. Homeopathic treatment won't answer in this

In reference to the portion of the Message in favor of basing suffrage upon an educational qualification as a safeguard over the method of choosing and declaring the election of a President, the Baltimore American thinks "the President is to be commended for speaking out so boldly and frankly upon a subject which few public men have the courage to touch. His advice will be lost upon Congress, but perhaps some day a political party will spring up that will dare put this quotation from President Grant's last Annual Message in its platform."

The New York Herald, in an editorial article entitled, "An Error at Starting," characterizes as unfortunate and ill-advised the action of the majority of the House of Representatives in the case of the member elect from the new state of Colorado. The majority can only relieve themselves from the charge of partizanship by seating the member elect on a report from the judiciary com-

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